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Chandrayaan-3 successful blast-off

Sriharikota (Andhra Pradesh), July 14 (Agencies)- Indian Space Research Organisation's (ISRO) Chandrayaan-3 lifted off today afternoon at 2.35 from the Satish Dhawan Space Centre in Sriharikota, Andhra Pradesh. The mission is India's third lunar exploration mission and its goal is to soft-land a lander and rover on the moon. The spacecraft was launched on a GSLV Mark-3 rocket 'Bahubali'. The lander named 'Vikram' carried the rover, 'Pragyan'. The rover will be tasked with exploring the lunar surface for signs of water and other resources.

Chandrayaan-3 is a follow-up to the 2019 Chandrayaan-2 mission. It was successful in sending an orbiter and a lander to the moon, but the lander crashed during its final descent.

ISRO has made several changes to the Chandrayaan-3 mission. The lander has been redesigned to make it more stable during its descent.

The lander weighs about 2.4 tonnes and is equipped with a 10-foot-long robotic arm while the rover weighs about 270 kilograms and is equipped with a variety of instruments. The mission is expected to cost around Rs. 615 crore. GSLV Mark-3 rocket is India's most powerful launch vehicle, capable of carrying a payload of up to 4 tonnes. The lander Vikram is named after Vikram Sarabhai, the father of India's space programme. The rover Pragyan is named after the Sanskrit word for 'wisdom'.

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Free memory enhancement seminar from July 15th to 17th

Mind Power Learning Systems, Mysuru, has organised a free memory enhancement seminar for businessmen, students, professionals, doctors and engineers.
The seminar will be conducted by S.Prashanth, Founder Director of Mind Power Learning Systems, who also holds a national record in memory competition.
Till now he has trained more than 1,20,000 people in India and has conducted workshops in Banks, Companies and Colleges.
Those interested may attend his seminar "Secrets of Memory" at the Institution of Engineers (S.P. Bhat Hall), near MUDA, JLB Road, Mysuru,

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Mysuru, Friday 14th July 2023

D.V. Halabhavi award for Prakash Gadkar

D.V. Halabhavi *Prakash*

Mysuru, July 14- Renowned artist Prakash Gadkar has been selected for the prestigious D.V. Halabhavi award (2022) instituted by the city's JSS Mahavidyapeetha, in association with Bellad Education and Agriculture Foundation, Dharwad, in memory of renowned artist Kalaguru D.V. Halabhavi.

Prakash Gadkar was born on June 1,1962 to late Husanaiah and Gangubai couple. Having keen interest in art right from his childhood days, Gadkar grew into a complete artist. He served as the Principal of Kalaburagi-based The Ideal Fine Arts Institute and College of Visual Arts. He has organised solo art expo and also along with his troupe at Kalaburagi, Dharwad, Mysuru, Bengaluru, Mumbai, Chandigarh, Pondicherry, Madras, Delhi etc.

A Karnataka Lalitakala Academy awardee, Prakash Gadkar is now being honoured with Halabhavi award, in recognition of his service to art.

For details, call Ph: 0821-2548207 or 2548212.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Each one of us has to stand up for our ideals and values, even if that means displeasing others. As has been said, it is a life skill. It requires conviction that the ideals for which you are taking a stand are ideals worth fighting for.

There is the view of Martin Luther King that a man who won't die for anything is not fit to live. This calls for self-belief, confidence and courage. Courage does not mean that you are not afraid; it only means that you overcome the fear for a worthwhile cause. And your standing up for your ideals will inspire others to stand up for your cause and for you. Because only then will you be perceived as someone worth standing up for.

At a more mundane level, it means learning to take care of oneself. And this means taking care of ourselves both mentally and physically. Read, ponder and think. Let your brain not become dormant. This can only happen if you take care of your physical self too. Which translated in the present-day world would mean regular exercise, a life of moderation, regular health check-ups and not becoming a burden on others. Only then can we expect others to take care of us, if at all.

And if we take care of ourselves, we can be of help to others and to society at large. Indeed, what am I if I focus only on myself — self-centred and selfish — if not a bad specimen of humanity? We have to likewise support others who are willing to stand up for their ideals. We have to live for more than ourselves; we should be helpful, kind and useful to others. And only if we support each other in whatever way we can, will society grow and humanity flourish.

So do what you can for yourself and others without any delay. Stand up for your ideals, support others who have the courage to stand up for theirs and extend a helping hand wherever you can. The world certainly needs as many helping hands as possible.

—Najib Shah in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

Mails suspended due to dive bombing hawk

Texas: Mail delivery has been temporarily suspended to a Texas neighbourhood due to a dive-bombing hawk that has been targeting postal workers and anyone else who goes outside.

Residents of Milam Place and Kenwood Avenue in the Travis Heights neighbourhood of Austin said they have recently been forced to keep an eye on the sky to avoid being struck in the head by the bird.

The U.S. Postal Service recently informed residents they would have to retrieve their mail from South Congress Post Office for the time being.

"The Postal Service always strives to provide the best possible service; however, the safety of our employees and customers is our priority," officials wrote in a statement.

Wildlife biologist Blake Hendon with the Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife said the hawk is likely protecting its young.

Woman's unusual toothbrush collection

Ontario: An Ontario woman's unusual collection earned her a Guinness World Records title when the organization confirmed she owns 1,618 different packaged toothbrushes.

Kelly Hardy of Mississauga said her collection began when she was 12 years old and found an unusual toothbrush with a built-in floss dispenser.

Her collection now features 1,618 different toothbrushes, including brushes featuring characters from The Simpsons and Star Wars.

Hardy said she had to have all of her toothbrushes laid out on tables at a local school's gymnasium for the official count. She said each piece had to be individually counted on video.

HEALTH CAPSULE

The symptoms of urinary tract infection are burning in urine, frequent urination, passing blood in urine, lower abdomen pain associated with fever with chills.

By Dr. Dinesh Kumar T.P. – Consultant – Urology & Andrology - Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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LIFE'S ON

**** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature***

Free job-oriented training for specially-abled persons

Mysuru, July 14- 'Samarthanam' institute has invited applications from the specially-abled persons for free job-oriented training. Persons suffering from Physical, Vision, Hearing and Speech issues can apply for the free training.

The applicants should have passed SSLC and should be in the age group of 18 to 30 years. The 3-month training has started from the first week of July. Training, method of teaching, food, accommodation and certificate all are provided free of cost.

'Samarthanam' has 22 years experience in providing training for the specially-abled with experienced and expert trainers. It provides individual attention with well-equipped training centre, good nutritious food, accommodation and also helps in getting employment.

For details contact Mob: 94498-64693 or 63648-67818.

Tiger Day: Entries invited for wildlife photography contest

Mysuru, July 14 (MTY&KS) - As part of International Tiger Day (July 29), Nagarahole Tiger Reserve has organised a wildlife photography competition in three categories— Habitat, Animal Behaviour and Conservation. There are cash prizes for each category with Rs. 20,000 (1st prize) and Rs. 10,000 (2nd prize).

Only photos clicked within a year at Nagarahole will be considered and the last date to send the photos is July 21. Photos will be evaluated on July 22 and prize winners will be announced on July 29.

Three photos in A3 size should be sent to the Office of Range Forest Officer (RFO) at Antharasanthe, Hunsur and Nagarahole (Ponnampet) and a soft copy can be mailed to *ntrphotocontest@gmail.com*.

REALLY...?

- ***Otters "hold hands" while sleeping, so they don't float away from each other.***
- ***Hummingbirds are the only known birds that can also fly backwards.***
- ***The shortest living animal in the world is the Mayfly. Its entire adult lifespan is just 24 hrs.***
- ***The pangolin is able to roll up into an armour-plated ball, so lions can't eat them.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Q: Why do bees have sticky hair?

A: Because they use honey combs!!

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 82.11
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 107.55
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 22.35
1 Euro	= Rs. 92.05

VOICE OF THE READER

Car parking woes continue at Sub-Urban Bus Stand

Sir,

While the Government once again gave the option of paying traffic penalties at 50%, I too was eager to check the violation, if any. The KarnatakaOne website showed that my car too had a penalty of Rs. 100 for parking in a 'No Parking' area in Feb. 2019.

Many readers have expressed the problems faced by car owners while they come to Sub-Urban Bus Stand to drop or pick up someone. In my case, I just had stationed the car under idle running condition with the driver in seat to unload luggage and my aged grandparents just for less than 2 minutes, near the restaurant gate, and the camera might have captured the same and penalised. This might have happened to many like me.

But, I wonder why the District Administration, KSRTC and even Police are keeping mum — this is just one type of revenue generation from innocent people like me. It is high time our MLAs or the MP intervene and arrange a suitable place for people to facilitate pick or drop, without hampering the traffic on other side of the road.

—Vijay Hemmige
Vijayanagar 12.7.2023

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Bengaluru City University VC
Prof. Lingaraja Gandhi invited to UK

Mysuru, July 14 (BCT)- Prof. Lingaraja Gandhi, Vice-Chancellor, Bengaluru City University (BCU), formerly Bengaluru Central University, has been invited by Wolverhampton University, UK, as a Visiting Research Scholar. He will be there at the UK University for a period of one week from July 15. He will share his expertise and knowledge to the ongoing Research Project, "Sustainable SMART Cities Coping with Crisis, Lessons from a Global Pandemic".

Prof. Lingaraja

Prof. Lingaraja Gandhi hails from Mysuru and before his appointment as BCU VC, he had served as the Registrar of University of Mysore (UoM) and Karnataka State Open University (KSOU). He also served the Department of Post-Graduate Studies and Research in English at UoM and was the Director, Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation Board.

During his stay at Wolverhampton University, Prof. Lingaraja Gandhi will also explore the possibilities of academic and research collaborations between Wolverhampton University and BCU.

Since he has been invited as a Visiting Research Scholar, his entire travel expenditure including airfare and local hospitality are met under the Visiting Research Scholar funds of Wolverhampton University.

This visit will also help in preparing a blueprint of the PG Department of Urban Studies and Planning planned to start in the Bengaluru City University. Such visits will enable the University to build a brand name in the international field of Higher Education.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Tenders invited

The District Administration has invited tenders for outsourcing contract for supply of personnel (human resource) to serve in the Revenue Section of the Deputy Commissioner's Office. The tender has been invited through e-Procurement portal. The interested human resource suppliers/bidders can submit tenders through the website: ***www.eprocurement.karnataka.gov.in,*** before July 27. The bids will be opened on July 28. The bidders will be informed about any change in scheduled dates, only in the e-Procurement portal. For more details, visit the Technical Section of the District Urban Development Cell in the new DC Office located on Bannur Road, Siddarthanagar.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	**124.80**	feet
Today	:	**88.78**	feet
Yesterday	:	**88.48**	feet
Inflow	:	**2,459**	cusecs
Outflow	:	**394**	cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	**2,859.00**	feet
Today	:	**2,841.84**	feet
Inflow	:	**1,247**	cusecs
Outflow	:	**50**	cusecs

MCC drops proposed hike in water tariff

Mysuru, July 14 (SBD&BCT)- Following strong opposition from Corporators representing different political parties, the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has decided to drop its plans to increase domestic water charges.

The decision came from MCC Council after pressure from Corporators who argued that the proposed hike was unreasonable and placed an additional burden on public, especially considering recent increase in power tariff.

The meeting was held at Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar Hall last evening under the Chairmanship of Mayor Shivakumar. Deputy Mayor Dr. G. Roopa and MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy were present.

MCC had previously raised water charges three years ago, but it failed to generate expected revenue. The proposed hike aimed to increase the minimum charges from Rs. 125 to Rs. 200 for consumption up to 25,000 litres.

The additional revenue was intended to cover expenses such as electricity, water treatment chemicals, staff salaries and loan repayments for the Melapura Drinking Water Project. The new tariff for other slabs was proposed to be hiked from Rs. 8 to Rs. 12 for 25,001 to 50,000 litres; from Rs. 12 to Rs. 17 for 50,001 to 75,000 litres; from Rs. 16 to Rs. 22 for 75,001 to 1,00,000 litres and from Rs. 20 to Rs. 27 for above 1 lakh litres.

During the Council meeting, Corporators from Congress, JD(S) and BJP, namely Ayub Khan, S.B.M. Manju, S. Usha and M.U. Subbaiah, expressed their opposition to the tariff hike. They highlighted concerns about the MCC's mismanagement of Government-funded water projects, unregulated water connections, and the feasibility of increasing charges for drinking water.

They pointed out that people were already burdened with increased water charges, contrary to the tradition of the Maharajas of Mysore providing free water. They emphasised the availability of Government funding for water projects and urged the MCC to efficiently manage those funds.

They proposed addressing distribution system leakages and regularising illegal connections by installing water meters, as there are over 40,000 such connections. Besides, MCC should collect the outstanding amount pending since years from various consumers and defaulting Government Departments which would bridge the revenue deficit.

In response to these concerns, the Mayor announced withdrawal of proposed water tariff hike. He acknowledged the irregularities in water distribution and billing, emphasising the need to prioritise resolving these issues. A special meeting will be convened to address drinking water-related matters and find solutions.

The annual cost of water supply was estimated at Rs. 125 crore, with an additional Rs. 45 crore allocated for underground drainage maintenance. However, the billing only accounted for 145 million litres per day (MLD) out of the 335 MLD of water pumped to Mysuru, leaving 195 MLD unaccounted for.

Despite having 1.8 lakh metered connections, only a third of them were actively paying their bills. These issues were recognised as urgent and requiring immediate attention.

According to traders and businessmen, there are not enough parking spaces in city centre, so the system would not be effective in solving parking problem and moreover, the MCC has not done enough to create alternative parking spaces before introducing the pay and park system.

In another development, Mayor Shivakumar announced a city visit scheduled for July 17, to address the issue of footpath encroachment. Corporators expressed dissatisfaction during the meeting regarding lack of action in controlling illegal trading and footpath encroachment.

In response, the Mayor announced the city visit to raise awareness about the issue.

It was decided that a thorough inspection would be conducted to address unauthorised roadside traders and encroachments.

MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy assured action to control the situation and improve street vendor management through inspections.

Mayor Shivakumar chairing the MCC Council meeting last evening. He is flanked by Deputy Mayor Dr. G. Roopa and MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy.

Mysore Palace water line linked to new apartment!

Corporator B.V. Manjunath raised the issue of the Mysore Palace facing a severe water crisis wherein the situation has come to supply water in tankers for over a month.

"The Palace had an exclusive water line connection and it is the residence of the Wadiyar family whose ancestors pledged their gold and diamonds to construct the Krishna Raja Sagar Dam that provides water to most of South India and to cities like Mysuru, Mandya and Bengaluru," he said.

"The Palace water line was disconnected to facilitate a new bulk water connection for a newly constructed apartment nearby. This has caused disruptions to the Palace's water supply. This type of situation has not arisen in the history of Mysore Palace and the city," he regretted.

Responding to Manjunath, Mayor Shivakumar directed the officials to immediately take up the pipeline works and restore the regular water supply to the Mysore Palace.

'Pay and Park' not shelved; tenders to be called soon

Mayor to go on city rounds on July 17 to remove footpath encroachments

Mysuru, July 14 (SBD&BCT)- The decision regarding the implementation of 'Pay and Park' system in Mysuru city has not been dropped and is still pending. Mayor Shivakumar told the Council yesterday that a thorough review of records and documents will be conducted before calling for a tender.

Corporator K.V. Sridhar sought clarification on the matter, to which the Mayor responded. "A decision has been taken in the June 9 Council meeting to introduce pay and park on experimental basis on D. Devaraj Urs Road, Ashoka Road and Town Hall. The 'read and record' process is on and the tenders will be called subsequently," the Mayor said.

MCC has proposed to introduce pay and park in city centre on a trial basis. The system would levy parking fees on Urs Road, Ashoka Road, Sayyaji Rao Road, Vinoba Road, Dhanvantri Road, Sri Harsha Road and Town Hall premises.

The initial parking fee for two-wheelers would be Rs. 10 for two hours, with an additional Rs.10 per hour thereafter. For light motor vehicles like cars, the initial two-hour fee would be Rs. 30, with an additional Rs. 10 for each subsequent hour.

The proposal has met with opposition from a number of quarters, including voluntary organisations, residents and traders. They argued that it would be an additional burden on the public and would discourage people from visiting the city centre, which would hurt businesses.

Council has final authority on cables

Corporator Ramesh highlighted the issue of network towers located near heritage buildings. He pointed out that a person from Bengaluru who owns a property near a heritage building in Mysuru pays an annual fee of Rs. 13 lakh to MCC and earns over a crore per year.

Corporators expressed their frustration with the response and demanded accountability. They requested an explanation from the officials and expressed dissatisfaction with the handling of the situation.

The issue of illegal cables too came up for discussion where Corporators raised objections to the MCC move to stop cutting illegal cables from poles. They mentioned that permission was initially granted but later revoked based on a letter from CESC.

Corporator K.V. Sridhar raised the issue and Mayor Shivakumar responded that officials from CESC do not have the authority to grant permission for laying or disconnecting cable connections. If anyone grants permission, it will be considered a criminal case, he said.

MCC Commissioner Lakshmikanth Reddy stated that permission was granted to companies for laying cables after paying required fee. However, the Council has the final authority.

Moving electric scooter catches fire, explodes

Mysuru, July 14 (MTY&KS)- The rider of an electric scooter had a miraculous escape after the electric vehicle which he was riding caught fire and exploded near Kote Maramma Temple near Gun House yesterday night.

One Basavaraju, a resident of Gundlupet, who is working at a printing press near Ramaswamy Circle on Chamaraja Double Road, was proceeding on the electric scooter towards Hardinge Circle.

When he was near Kote Maramma Temple near Gun House, a few motorists who were passing by, alerted him about the fire in the scooter. Basavaraju immediately stopped the scooter and ran to a safe distance.

Soon, fire engulfed the scooter and within seconds, the battery of the scooter exploded and the

scooter was reduced to ashes.

Assistant Commissioner of Police (ACP-Traffic) Prashuramappa, Devaraja Traffic Sub-Inspector M.S. Bandi and staff, who rushed to the spot, diverted traffic for the safety of motorists.

Fire and Emergency Services personnel from Saraswathipuram Fire Station also reached the spot and began their operation to douse the fire. But the scooter was charred by then. Ningaraju, the owner of the printing press had bought the electrical scooter two years ago.

Be careful while riding e-scooters

Meanwhile, ACP (Traffic) Prashuramappa has cautioned those having e-scooters to be careful while riding them.

He said that the e-scooter, a person was riding has been destroyed in a fire and added that the e-scooter was bought two years ago.

He has urged the public to get the batteries of their e-scooters checked regularly and give importance to safety.

Cop, wife booked for cheating chit fund investors

Mysuru, July 14 (BS)- A Police Head Constable and his wife have been booked on the charges of cheating crores of money to the people who had invested in their chit fund business.

Head Constable Somashekar and his wife Dakshayini, a nurse at a private hospital are the accused, against whom a case has been booked at K. R. Police Station. This follows a complaint by trader B.N. Prashanth of Ramanuja Road, who has also attached a list of people, who have been taken for a ride by the accused.

The couple has been running a chit fund business and collected several crores of rupees towards instalments from Feb. 5, 2019 from Police personnel, hospital staff and general public, without returning the amount.

Instead, Somashekar has purchased 70 to 80 acres of land in the name of his wife and mother-in-law at his native Channapatna. Whenever investors demand the amount, Somashekar threatens to end his life by leaving a death note blaming the investors for abetment, according to the complaint.

Several people have already lodged complaints against the couple who have obtained bail from a Court, according to the complaint.

Plaint lodged against K.R. Hospital

Medical Supdt., 7 docs with Lokayukta

Mysuru, July 14 (MK&BS)- A social activist has lodged a complaint with Lokayukta Police, against eight doctors of K.R. Hospital in city including the Medical Superintendent, accusing them of dereliction of duty.

President of Karunada Sanghatakaru, Mysuru Division, M.B. Naganna Gowda has filed the complaint against Medical Officers of K.R. Hospital Dr. Chandrashekar, Dr. Lokesh, Dr. Nishchitha, Dr. Kushal, Dr. B.N. Ananda Ravi, Dr. R.D. Manjunath and Dr. Roopa and Medical Superintendent Dr. Nanjundaswamy.

"The Medical Officers who were supposed to be on duty at MSB Ward No. 5 in the Hospital on July 9 were not in place and the Medical Superintendent who holds a responsible position showed dereliction in duty. The doctors are playing with the lives by not being available on the spot. The Post-Graduate students gave a false information that the doctors were at emergency, misleading others without providing correct information about their non-availability. Even when checked at the emergency, the doctors were not seen there also," Gowda has alleged in his complaint.

Mysureans on tour to Manali expected to arrive in city this afternoon

Mysuru, July 14 (RK&KS) - The 19 people from city, who had gone on a tour to Manali, in North India, which is battling heavy rains and floods are safe and are expected to reach Mysuru this afternoon.

Dharmesh Krishna, the tour organiser told *SOM* that all 19 tourists from Mysuru, who were stranded in Manali, have reached Bengaluru from New Delhi and are expected to reach Mysuru this afternoon, he added.

Meanwhile, Ankush and Neha

Newly-wed couple comes in contact

Bhatkal, the newly-wed couple, who had been on a tour to North India and lost contact, are safe and their family members have contacted them over the phone.

Nithin Bhatkal, brother of Neha Bhatkal told *SOM* that Ankush and Neha came in contact yesterday night and added that they are expected to come to city in two or three days.

Obituary

Hina Kausar

Mysuru, July 14 - Hina Kausar (44), wife of Builder and Class 1 Electric Contractor Alhaj Mansoor Shariff and a resident of No. 952, Rajivnagar 1st Stage, passed away following brief illness at a private hospital in city this morning.

She leaves behind her husband, two sons, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Namaz-e-Janaza will be held at Masjid-e-Yaseen, near Ring Road, Rajivnagar, after Asar (5.30 pm) today, followed by the burial at the Muslim Burial Grounds near Tipu Circle.

R. Rajeshwari

R. Rajeshwari (77), retired teacher of Ideal Jawa Rotary Children School on JLB Road and a resident of Vidyaranyapuram, passed away yesterday in city.

She leaves behind one son and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites will be held at the foot of Chamundi Hill tomorrow at 11 am.

P. Kosala Raman

P. Kosala Raman (59), a resident of Hebbal, passed away yesterday in city.

He leaves behind his wife Manjula Raman and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held at Chirashanthidhama in Gokulam this afternoon.

Mahadevamma

H.D. Kote: Mahadevamma (90), mother of Tobacco Board former Director Y.T. Mahesh, passed away yesterday in the town.

She leaves behind four sons, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at the family's farm land on H.B. Road in the town this afternoon.

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Heavy rush on last Ashada Friday

Mysuru, July 14 (MTY&DM)- Sri Chamundeshwari Temple atop Chamundi Hill witnessed an overwhelming number of devotees this morning, as thousands of worshippers from various parts of the State and beyond gathered to seek the divine blessings on the fourth and final Ashada (Shukravara) Friday.

The sacred rituals and pujas commenced as early as 3.30 am, starting with Mahanyasa Purvaka Rudrabhishekam, followed by various Abhishekas, Sahasranamaarchane and other ceremonial offerings. The culmination of these rituals took place with the auspicious Maha Mangalaarathi at approximately 5.30 am. Subsequently, Temple gates were opened for devotees.

Devotees had already begun arriving at the Temple in the wee hours, availing themselves of the free KSRTC buses. The queues stretched longer and longer as the hours passed. To facilitate the transportation of devotees to the Hilltop, more than 40 buses were deployed by the KSRTC from the Lalitha Mahal grounds.

As part of crowd control and maintaining law and order, private vehicles were prohibited from accessing the Hill Temple on all four Ashada Fridays (June 23, June 30, July 7, and July 14), as well as on Chamundi Vardhanti — birthday of the Goddess (July 10).

All categories of Darshans, including Dharma Darshana, Rs.300 tickets and Rs.50 tickets, witnessed longer queues compared to the previous three Ashada Fridays. As per the directives of the Muzrai Department, elderly citizens aged above 65 years were granted direct entry for Darshan, a practice followed in the preceding Ashada Fridays.

The clear weather in the morning further contributed to the flow of devotees during the early hours. Additional ticketed buses, including those operating under the Shakti scheme (free for women passengers), were scheduled from the City Bus Stand to the Chamundi Hill.

Notably, an unusually large number of devotees were observed ascending the Hill steps as early as 2 am. In anticipation of the massive gathering, the Chamundi Betta Ulisi Samiti and Parisara Balaga had stationed volunteers along the Hill steps to collect plastic waste such as empty water bottles and covers from the devotees, in an effort to maintain a plastic-free environment around the Hill.

The Temple was adorned magnificently for final Ashada Friday, with the idol of Goddess Chamundeshwari embellished in resplendent 'Mahalakshmi Alankara' and Utsava Murthy of the Goddess sported 'Nagalakshmi Alankara'. The Temple will remain open for devotees till 10 pm.

Distinguished Judges from various Courts were among the VIPs who sought the divine blessings of Goddess Chamundeshwari today. Former MLA Anitha Kumaraswamy too sought the blessings.

Special pujas and rituals were conducted at all Chamundeshwari Temples in city, which were decorated for the occasion. Prasadam was distributed to all the devotees as part of the celebrations.

Green Tribunal's suggestions for making Chamundi Hill plastic-free by Dasara

▶ Look for plastic carry bags and water bottles at entry points to Hill ▶ Initiate strict action against vendors and shop-keepers who use plastic bags and bottles ▶ Action plan to raise the compound wall to prevent indiscriminate disposal of plastic waste by tourists and devotees ▶ Installation of CCTV cameras to monitor culprits

Mysuru, July 14 (BLU&BS)- National Green Tribunal (NGT) State Committee Chairman Justice Subhash B. Adi has set a deadline for the District Administration to make Chamundi Hill completely free of plastic before the upcoming Dasara festival.

Justice Adi issued instructions to the authorities during a progress review meeting held at the Zilla Panchayat Hall in the city this morning.

During the meeting, Justice Adi referred to the examples of Varanasi's River Ganga in Uttar Pradesh and Tirupati in Andhra Pradesh, which are prominent pilgrimage centres in the country where a strict ban on plastic has been effectively enforced.

He underlined the need for a similar ban on single-use plastic at Chamundi Hill, one of the prominent religious tourism destinations in Karnataka. This should involve the participation of the Gram Panchayat (GP) and the District Administration.

Rather than screening devotees for plastic carry bags at the top of the Hill, checks should be conducted at the main entrance at the base of the Hill. Additionally, all tourist spots in the district should be made plastic-free, he said.

Justice Adi also suggested that the Solid Waste Management Unit at the top of Chamundi Hill should be relocated to an area below the Hill.

Vendor licence atop Hill

In response to a query about the population on the Hill, the Panchayat Development Officer (PDO) of Chamundi Hill Gram Panchayat Roopesh stated that there are 3,045 residents and 465 houses, including the Thavarekatte area, within the GP limits. The Hill alone has a population of 2,405. However, no trade licences have been issued to any of the vendors.

Surprised by the PDO's response, Justice Adi directed him to issue licences to the vendors so that appropriate action could be taken in case of any violations.

Justice Adi also called for the collection of e-waste through recognised renewable firms and the establishment of collection units in each of the two to three wards in the city. He further emphasised that permission to develop new residential layouts should only be granted after Sewage Treatment Plants (STPs) are built.

National Green Tribunal (NGT) State Committee Chairman Justice Subhash B. Adi** (third from left) **chairing the progress review meeting at ZP Hall in city this morning, as MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy, Deputy Commissioner Dr. K.V. Rajendra, City Police Commissioner Ramesh Banoth and SP Seema Latkar look on.

Deputy Commissioner Dr. K.V. Rajendra informed Justice Adi about the action plan being drafted to construct tall compounds where plastic is easily disposed of by the devotees, along with the installation of CCTV cameras to monitor their activities.

Additionally, a team of five officers from the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB) will be deployed to check for the use of plastic at various entry gates to the Hill.

Menace of single-use plastic

He pointed out the need to address some shortcomings, such as the lack of adequate drinking water facilities at the Hilltop, which forces devotees to carry water bottles. The DC also acknowledged that the use of single-use plastic increased during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Raids are being conducted and plastic carry bags are being seized from vendors, but stringent measures should be taken at the source level to stop the bulk production, transportation and stocking of plastic bags in large quantities, the DC noted.

Commissioner of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) G. Lakshmikantha Reddy mentioned that there is resistance to waste segregation in certain parts of the Narasimharaja Assembly Constituency before handing over the garbage to door-to-door garbage collectors. Efforts are being made to create awareness among the residents.

City Police Commissioner Ramesh Banoth, Superintendent of Police Seema Latkar, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Zilla Panchayat K.M. Gayathri and others were also present at the meeting.

Yuva Brigade worker was killed in group clash: Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa

Venugopal Nayak

Mysuru, July 14 (BS)- Dismissing any political motive behind the murder of Yuva Brigade worker Venugopal Nayak in T. Narasipur, Social Welfare Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa has termed the reason behind the incident as a group clash.

Dr. Mahadevappa, who represents T. Narasipur Constituency in the Assembly, is also the Mysuru District Minister. He along with Deputy Commissioner Dr. K.V. Rajendra and other Officers of District Administration, visited the house of Nayak on Srirampura Road in T. Narasipur yesterday and handed over the cheque for Rs. 4,12,500 as ex-gratia to Poornima, the widow of the deceased, besides consoling her.

Speaking to media persons, Dr. Mahadevappa, who took severe exception to BJP leaders giving a different colour to the incident said, "Let's not play politics by giving a religious colour to the incident. Whoever plays such politics are unfit to be in public life. My son is nowhere connected to the incident."

"There were skirmishes among two factions of Yuva Brigade over allowing the bikes to temple premises and removal of a poster during Hanuma Jayanti celebrations that went on peacefully, without any hurdle. We severely condemn the incident in which the life of a youth, who had to live long, was snuffed out in a brutal manner. It is also condemnable that the political conspiracy is being hatched by digging out unpalatable reasons," said the Minister.

Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa seen consoling and handing over a cheque for Rs. 4,12,500 as ex-gratia to Poornima, the widow of the deceased Yuva Brigade worker Venugopal Nayak in T. Narasipur yesterday.

"I am also pained over the death of Nayak, who should have led a life with his wife and daughter. Do not allow religion to creep into your husband's death. Taking your future into consideration, a job will be given on humanitarian grounds on the basis of your qualification. The culprits will get stringent punishment within the ambit of law and the Government is committed to ensure justice," Dr. Mahadevappa told Poornima, the widow of Nayak.

Violence in Manipur

SDPI, Christian Association members stage candle light stir in city

Mysuru, July 14 (MK&BS)- Condemning the attack on Christians at Manipur, Social Democratic Party of India (SDPI) along with members of Chraisthara Pragathipara Samsthe (Christian Association) staged a candle light protest in city last evening.

The protesters, who gathered at the Circle in front of St. Philomena's Church, raised slogans against the State Government of Manipur and the Central Government for their failure to maintain peace and order even after three months of violence, exacerbated by racial killings and attacks on houses and churches.

According to a report submitted by Manipur Government to Supreme Court, 'So far, 142 people have been killed and over 50,000 people have taken refuge at relief camps. A total of 5,995 First Information Reports (FIR) have been filed and 5,053 cases related to arson have been booked. Despite such racial killings in a big way, Prime Minister Narendra Modi is going on foreign tours, without visiting violence-hit Manipur,' the protesters alleged.

State President of SDPI Abdul Majeed alleged that hatred is being spread across the country only for political gains. The communal clashes that erupted on May 3 in Manipur are going on unabated, with 240 churches and 17 temples destroyed, pushing many to streets.

National Secretary of SDPI Alphonse Franco said, "The situation is such that we have to search for 'ache din' being harped by PM Modi. The Central Government that should be for the people in a democratic system is only for the sake of BJP. The voters of Karnataka, who have already taught a lesson to BJP, will also be teaching a fitting lesson in LS elections."

SDPI District President Rafath Khan, General Secretary Shafi, Vice-President S. Swamy, Chraisthara Pragathipara Samsthe President Jnanaprakash and others were present.

Plea seeking vacation of stay on Mysore Varsity VC appointment

HC adjourns hearing to Aug. 2

N.K. Loknath

Mysuru, July 14 (MK&DM)- The Karnataka High Court on Thursday adjourned the hearing on the plea seeking vacation of the stay order on the appointment of Prof. N.K. Loknath as the University of Mysore (UoM) Vice-Chancellor to Aug. 2.

Following a petition filed by another aspirant Prof. Sharath Ananthamurthy (son of late Prof. U.R. Ananthamurthy), the High Court last month (June 21), had stayed the Mar. 23, 2023 Government order appointing Prof. Loknath as the UoM Vice-Chancellor, who had taken charge of the post the following day (Mar. 24).

Following the stay order on his appointment, Prof. Loknath filed a petition seeking vacation of the stay. The Court, which heard the plea, had posted the hearing for July 13. However, the matter did not come up for hearing on Thursday (July 13) as scheduled and the HC adjourned the next hearing in the case to Aug. 2, it is learnt.

Former State Advocate General Ashok Haranahalli is arguing on behalf of Prof. Loknath, while another former State Advocate General and senior advocate Ravivarma Kumar is arguing for Prof. Sharath Ananthamurthy.

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ITEM-2: All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural Dry land bearing Sy. No. 305/2, measuring Three Acres Seven Guntas (3.07.00.00), situated at Kabbahalli Village Beguru Hobli, Gundlupet Taluk, Chamarajanagara District, together with all rights appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface bounded on as follows: EAST by: Land belonging to P. N. Naveen Kumar and Shash. Kumar, WEST by: Land belonging to Nanjappa, NORTH by : Land belonging to P. N. Naveen Kumar, SOUTH by: Land belonging to Shashi Kumar.

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Chennai's Theatre Nisha to present two English plays in Mysuru

A scene from the play 'Margazhi.'

A scene from the play 'Sordid.'

Mysuru, July 14- Theatre Nisha, Chennai, is presenting two English plays in Mysuru this weekend — July 15 and 16.

The play 'Margazhi' will be staged at Kirurangamandira (Mini Theatre) in Kalamandira on July 15 at 6.30 pm. Another play 'Sordid' (Winner of The Hindu Playwright Award 2019) will be staged at Natana Rangashale (Natana School of Theatre Arts) in Ramakrishnanagar on July 16 at 6.30 pm.

Both the plays are directed by V. Balakrishnan, an alumnus of Shri Ram Centre for Performing Arts (New Delhi) and the National School of Drama (New Delhi). He is the Founder and Artistic Director of Chennai-based Theatre Nisha.

Theatre Nisha believes in the power of theatre to make a difference in the lives of people. The company produces plays and conducts workshops and training sessions for actors, teachers, students and corporates. Theatre Nisha has produced over 130 plays in 22 years and worked with over 70 schools and organisations towards this endeavour. The company has performed in over 20 regional, national and international theatre festivals.

About the plays

Margazhi (Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes) traces the life of a Bharatanatyam dancer and the turmoil of the exploitative culture that dictates the quest for dancers to achieve awards, accolades, scholarships and worthy stages to perform on.

Vaidehi, an accomplished Bharatanatyam dancer, realises that her accomplishments and hard work are not enough to enter the big league. She faces the conundrum of striking a deal for what she rightly deserves against being relegated to oblivion like many other dancers like her in the past.

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Sordid (Duration: 1 hour 15 minutes) explores the dynamics of being water-wives in water parched India. Tukaram, a farmer and his three wives, of whom only the first has conjugal rights, strive to survive in tumultuous circumstances.

While the youngest wife Kali excels in farming, she has to take over the back-breaking work of fetching water from fifteen miles away, as that is the only way she can guarantee her food and a roof over her head. As she embarks to fetch water, she realises that the water comes at a cost, the cost of her dignity.

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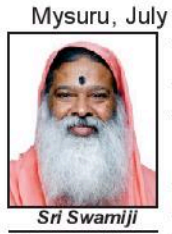
Shani Maha Yaga at Ganapathy Ashram



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Mysuru, July 14- Shani Maha Yaga will be conducted on the occasion of *Shanitrayodashi* on Saturday (July 15) at Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashram, Ooty Road, Mysuru.

As part of the programme, Shanaischara Vrata, Tailabhisheka to Lord Shani, Shanigraha Japa, Shanigraha Homa, Shanigraha Shanti and Sundarakanda Parayana will be performed from 7 am to 1 pm at the Universal Prayer Hall of the Ashram. This programme is being conducted to compensate *Shanidosha* for persons born in Capricorn, Aquarius, Pisces, Cancer, Scorpio signs and for others in general. The devotees participating in this programme can perform *Tailabhisheka* by themselves. *Prasadam* will be distributed to all devotees present on the occasion.

Nanjangud temple records Rs. 1.77 cr. *hundi* collection

Mysuru, July 14- The famed Srikanteshwaraswamy temple of Nanjangud town has recorded a *hundi* (offerings box) collection of Rs. 1.77 crore from May 30 to June 11.

The money, 65.5 gram gold, 3.540 kg silver items and 64 foreign currencies were collected in 34 *hundis* of the temple.

The staff of Canara Bank, Muzrai Department and 100 women from self-help groups counted the money at the Dasoha Bhavan of the temple on Wednesday.

Temple Executive Officer Jagadish Kumar, Accountant Gurumallaiah and Bank Manager Lakshmi supervised the process.

Nrutyotsavas needed for survival of dance forms: Dr. S.L. Bhyrappa

Mysuru, July 14 (MK&DM)- Opining that festivals like 'Nrutyotsavas' are needed for survival of all forms of dance and also for taking them forward for generations to come, acclaimed writer Dr. S.L. Bhyrappa said that people should encourage all forms of arts by watching them.

He was speaking after inaugurating the National Seminar 'Moolam 2023 - The Roots' and the second day of Nrutyotsava dance festival organised by the city's Shambhavi School of Dance at Natana Rangashale in Ramakrishnanagar here recently.

Observing that arts will grow only by patronisation of people, Dr. Bhyrappa said that conducting music and dance fests is key for their promotion. Pointing out that there is a lot of difference between Western music - dance and Indian music - dance, he said that only one singer will be there in Hindustani music, which is related to meditation.

Noting that most of the Western music is of groups comprising 50-60 members, the veteran writer said that it will be like a military band. Regretting that the audience will be late most of the times for cultural programmes in Mysuru, he emphasised on the importance of being present on time and as well as patronisation.

Bharatanatyam dancer Geetha Chandran, Kuchupudi dancer and actor Vyjayanti Kashi and artist Shaswathi Sen spoke on the topics 'Guru-Shishya Parampare' and 'Margadarshaka-Margadarshita' relationship.

Dr. S.L. Bhyrappa was felicitated on the occasion. Nrutyalaya Trust Director and Danseuse Dr. Tulasi Ramachandra and others were present.

Sufi Saint in city on July 16

Mohd. Ahmed Nakshbandi

Mysuru, July 14 (KS) - The Astana-e-Salmaniya Darga Committee at Bada Makan, Tipu Circle, Mysuru-Bengaluru Road, will be celebrating 19th Annual Sandal Urus Shariff of Sufi Saint Hazarath Alama Moulana Hafiz Qari Sufi Sha Mohd. Salman Misbahi, Founder of Darul Uloom Azeezia, Mamballi-o-Azeezia Educational Trust, Mysuru, on July 16 from 6 pm at Astana-e-Salmaniya premises.

The programme will be held under the supervision of Sufi Saint Hazarath Alama Moulana Hafiz Qari, Sufi Mohd. Anwar Ahmed Nizami Ashrafi, Chief Patron of Darul Uloom Azeezia, Mamballi and Hon. Secretary, Azeezia Educational Trust.

At 6 pm after Fatha Khawani, Sandal Urus Shariff will start from Administrative Office of Azeezia on Ashoka Road West Cross, with a delegation comprising students of Arabic College, Sufi Saint, Ulmas, Islamic Clerics, scholars and Darvesh of Ahala-Sunnath-wo-Jamath to reach Astana Salamaniya Darga Shariff at Tipu Circle.

Sufi Saint Hazarath Alama Moulana Mohd. Ahmed Naqshbandi Junaidi, Kamil Ul Hadees Jamiya Nizamia, Hyderabad, will speak.

Separate seating arrangement will be made for ladies. For details contact Mob: 96201-53213.

Prayer vigil for victims of Manipur violence

Mysuru, July 14- Mysore Christian Caring Forum (MCCF), United Christian Forum (UCF), Pentecostal Pastors Fellowship (PPF) and other Christian denominations will be gathering at Gandhi Square in city on July 16 between 4.30 pm and 6 pm to pray for the victims of the violence and insurgency that has been going on for the last two months in Manipur.

Prayer vigil will be attended by Rev. Dr. Bernard Moras (Apostolic Administrator of the Mysore Diocese), Rev. Mohan Doss (President of MCCF), Rt. Rev. Hemachandra Kumar (Bishop of CSI Karnataka Southern Diocese), Rev. Marshal and other leaders and pastors.

CESC interaction meet with power consumers tomorrow

Mysuru, July 14- Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation (CESC) has organised an interaction meet with power consumers at CESC VV Mohalla and NR Mohalla Sub-Division Offices in Hootagalli, Ramakrishnanagar, VV Mohalla Kuvempunagar, Central, Jyothi nagar, Chamundipuram and Varuna on July 15 at 11 am.

Power consumers are requested to make use of these interaction meets and get their problems solved by giving the complaints in writing at their respective CESC Offices, according to a press release from CESC Executive Engineers, VV Mohalla and NR Mohalla Divisions.

MCC distributes Rs. 10,000 financial aid cheques to artistes

Mayor Shivakumar seen distributing cheques to the artistes at a programme held at Town Hall in city yesterday as Deputy Mayor Dr. G. Roopa and others look on.

Mysuru, July 14 (MTY&DM)- The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) yesterday re-launched its financial assistance scheme covering artistes with Mayor Shivakumar distributing cheques of Rs.10,000 each to 254 artistes of the city at a programme held at Town Hall here.

Speaking on the occasion, Shivakumar said that a total of 254 artistes, who have continuously engaged themselves in different art forms are being given financial assistance. While 144 of them are distributed cheques, 110 other artistes, most of whom are seniors, will be credited money to their bank accounts through RTGS.

Stating that the scheme was started in 2012-13 when he (Shivakumar) headed the MCC Finance Standing Committee, the Mayor said that the scheme was however stopped after some time due to several reasons. But now, the scheme has been re-launched and funds has been earmarked in the Budget for continuance of the scheme.

Pointing out that Rs.25 lakh has been set aside for the scheme, he opined that the people and the society should support and patronise artistes.

The Mayor symbolically distributed cheques to artistes M.N. Yadugiri, Indrani, Vasantha Krishna, Satyavathi, Ramappa, Guruswamy and Veerabhadraswamy.

Finance Standing Committee Chairman R. Nagaraj presided. Deputy Mayor Dr. G. Roopa Yogesh, MCC Additional Commissioner M.G. Roopa, Accounts Standing Committee Chairman V. Ramesh, Town Planning Standing Committee Chairperson H.M. Shanthakumari, Corporators M.V. Ramprasad, B.V. Manjunath and others were present on the occasion.

'Gaj Gaurav' Award for Bandipur Veterinarian Dr. Mirza Vaseem

Bengaluru, July 14- Dr. Mirza Vaseem, Veterinarian at Bandipur National Tiger Reserve, has been selected for the prestigious 'Gaj Gaurav' Award for his outstanding service in wildlife conservation.

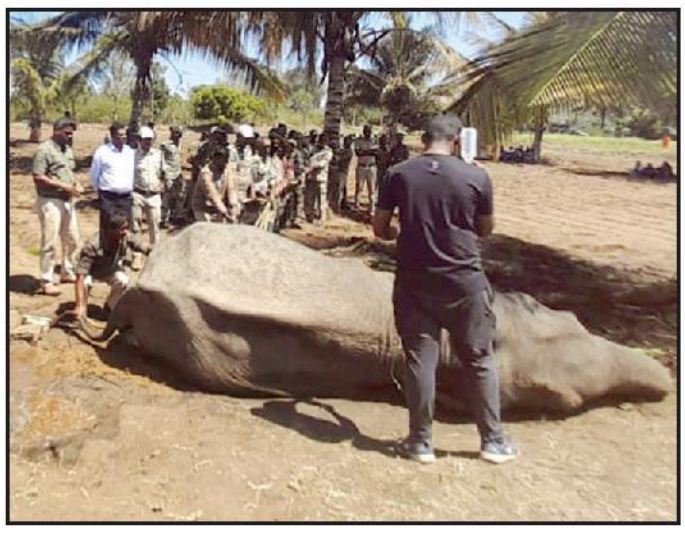
The award is presented by the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Project Tiger and Elephant Division on the occasion of World Elephant Day to honour frontline workers in wildlife conservation.

"This is for the first time that an Officer from Karnataka is receiving this award which is encouraging," said Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (PCCF-Wildlife) Subhash K. Malkhede.

In February 2023, Dr. Mirza Vaseem had put in a lot of efforts to save the life of an elephant which was electrocuted and recognising his service, Additional PCCF Kumar Pushkar had nominated the name of Dr. Mirza Vaseem for the award.

Dr. Mirza Vaseem

World Elephant Day will be celebrated on Aug. 12 at Angul in Mahanadi Elephant Reserve at Odisha.



A file photo of Dr. Mirza Vaseem along with forest personnel treating the electrocuted elephant at Bandipur.

Artistes facing problems in getting pension

Mysuru, July 14 (GA&DM)- Even as successive Governments have been saying that they are committed to promotion of literature, arts and patronisation of artistes, senior artistes, who are entitled for a monthly pension of Rs.2,000, are facing hurdles in getting it.

In Mysuru, there are 333 writers and artistes representing various forms of arts such as Music, Dance, Theatre, Folklore, Yakshagana, Fine Arts, Sculpture etc., who are getting a monthly pension of Rs. 2,000. The pension earlier was Rs.1,500, which was later hiked to Rs. 2,000 in Dec.2019. However, the artistes say that this pension is too little.

Artistes, who have engaged themselves in different forms of arts for at least 25 years and made a mark, can apply for pension after completion of 58 years of age. Also, the artistes seeking pension have to submit their income certificate and the annual income ceiling is fixed at Rs.40,000 in rural areas and Rs.50,000 in urban areas.

However, there is relaxation for physically challenged artistes, according to which the eligible artistes can apply for pension if they are aged over 40 years and engaged in arts for 20 years. But the pension seeker artistes are facing a lot of hurdles as too many documents have to be submitted as proof of their age, annual income, achievements etc., for processing.

In Mysuru, as many as 17,000 artistes have applied for pension and all of them are awaiting sanction, hoping that their application will be accepted.

Renowned folklore artiste Malavalli Mahadevaswamy said that a representation was made more than 5 years ago to the then Kannada and Culture Minister Umashri, seeking a monthly pension of Rs.5,000. But this demand has not been accepted so far. Though the guidelines issued by the Government for getting pension is alright, the pension has not been sanctioned to many of those who have met the Government's eligibility rules, he said adding that the Government should waste no time in addressing the concerns of artistes.

Malavalli Mahadevaswamy

Meanwhile, Kannada and Culture Assistant Director Dr. M.D. Sudarshan said that eligible artistes can apply for pension anytime and there is no deadline for it. However, the applications must meet the Government guidelines. The Department has been receiving many requests seeking a hike in pension, he said adding that however, it is left to the Government to decide on the hike.

WIMBLEDON

TODAY'S MATCHES (JULY 14)

MEN'S SINGLE (SEMI-FINALS)

8 Jannik Sinner **Vs** 2 Novak Djokovic — **6.00 pm**

1 Carlos Alcaraz **Vs** 3 Daniil Medvedev — **8.00 pm**

WOMEN'S DOUBLES (SEMI-FINALS)

16 Zhang Shuai & Caroline Dolehide **Vs** 3 Elise Mertens & Storm Sanders — **5.30 pm**

Hsieh Su-wei & Barbora Strýcová **Vs** Sara Sorribes Tormo & Marie Bouzková — **6.45 pm**

TOMORROW'S MATCHES (JULY 15)

WOMEN'S SINGLE (FINAL)

Markéta Vondroušová **Vs** Ons Jabeur — **TBD**

MEN'S DOUBLES (FINAL)

Wesley Koolhof & Neal Skupski **Vs** Horacio Zeballos & Marcel Granollers — **TBD**

Catch Live on STAR SPORTS & Disney+ hotstar

[NOTE: Timings are subject to last minute changes]

WORD OF THE DAY

Girandole

Pronunciation: JEER-un-dohl.
Meaning: Girandole can refer to an ornamental branched candlestick, as well as to a pendant earring usually with three ornaments hanging from a central piece. In its earliest uses, girandole referred to a radiating and showy composition, such as a cluster of skyrockets fired together for a fireworks display.
Origin: The word girandole can refer to several different things, all of them designed to provoke oohs and aahs. The earliest uses of girandole in English, in the 17th century, referred to a kind of firework, or to something with a radiating pattern like that of a firework, such as a fountain. Such a pattern is reflected in the word's etymology: girandole can be traced back by way of French and Italian to the Latin word gyrus, meaning "gyre" or "a circular or spiral motion or form." By the 18th century, girandole was being used for a branched candlestick, perhaps due to its resemblance to the firework. The word's use for a kind of earring was lit during the 19th century. While pinwheel and Catherine wheel are more often called upon for firework duty today, we note that there's nothing stopping you from applying the elegant girandole to the impressive displays that light up festive night skies.

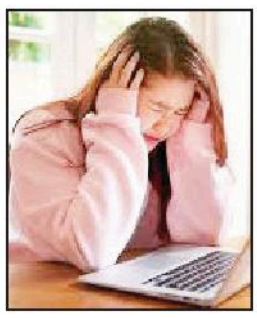
THE ODD WORD

Galliard

Brisk; gallant; lively.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Get the pip



Meaning: Become irritated or annoyed.
Origin: It isn't likely that anyone would guess the original meaning of 'the Pip'. The odd fact is that it was coined in the 15th century as the name of a respiratory disease of birds. Specifically a disease that had a typical symptom of a white scaly patch on the tongue. This is first cited in the Middle English translation of the 4th century Roman writer Palladius's
De Re Rustica, circa 1440:
And other while an hen wul ha the pippe,
A whit pilet that wul the tonge enrounde
It wasn't until the 19th century that the specific avian references were dropped and people who were annoyed or dispirited began to be described simply as having 'got the pip'. An example of that comes in *High and Low,* a novel by the English author Henry Coke, 1845:
"Yes, will you come?"
"I want to come, but here's More says he won't go."
"What's the matter, has he got the pip?" inquired his Lordship.

QUOTE BOX

We may encounter many defeats but we must not be defeated.

—Maya Angelou

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

AGE BUT

Answer: Age before beauty.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 A long way off
5 The soft fleshy underpart of a dog's paw?
8 The red planet
12 Indian holy city
14 Conjoin
15 `A', `an' and `the'?
16 US space agency
17 Save our souls
18 Loquacious
20 European capital
23 Prosperous period
24 So be it!
25 Campaign
28 Vive le ___ : long live the king in French
29 Intended or signified
30 President Eisenhower's nickname ?
32 Benefit from a will
34 Airlines Electronic Engineering Comm.
35 Biblical garden
36 Escape by artifice
37 Unsystematic or arbitrary
40 Atomic mass unit, acronym
41 Toil
42 Cheerful outlook
47 Very bad; loathsome in fact
48 Tidiness
49 Yielded as a return
50 Sharp bark
51 Wraths

DOWN
1 Actress Gardner
2 ___ - seeing : prudent?
3 Esthetic pursuit
4 Dried grape - "is rain" anagram?
5 Mates
6 Airline-Selected Equip.
7 Rebate
8 Capital of Bahrain?
9 Blind as _ __? (1,3)
10 Corrosion
11 ___-at-home : a person who usually prefers to be in his house?
13 In brief, sergeants & corporals
19 Landlord of an inn?
20 Golfer's score
21 Marne mine
22 Check or constrain
23 Grey matter
25 Rite
26 God (French)
27 Supplemented with difficulty
29 "Love _ _" (Beatles song) (2,2)
31 Economic Community of Europe, in short?
33 Avoided giving direct answer, being bounded
34 Graduates of a college taken as a whole
36 To give out
37 Invitation words, briefly
38 Among other things, inter __
39 ____ me tangere (something not to be touched)
40 Nipa palm
43 It is small, round, green and edible
44 Comparative ending?
45 180 degrees from NNW
46 Random Hse. mail

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

C	A	N	A	D	A	■	D	E	F	E	N	D
O	■	E	R	R	S	■	I	R	E	■	■	E
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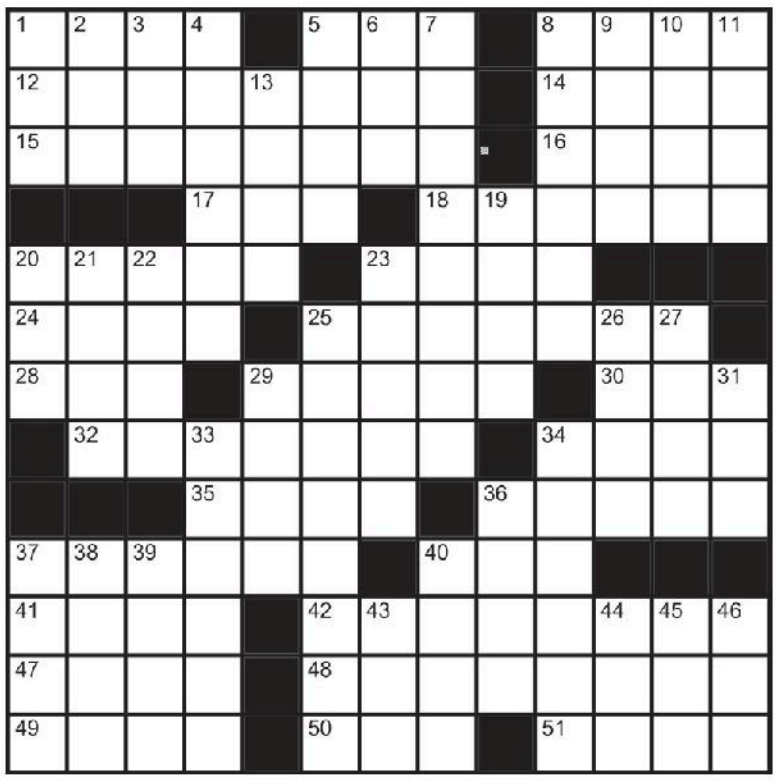

SUDOKU

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9		7	6	4				5
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	6						3	
				2	5	1		9
8				9	1	3		4
	7				3	6		

Answer to previous puzzle

8	4	7	2	6	3	9	1	5
9	2	5	4	7	1	8	6	3
3	6	1	9	8	5	2	7	4
7	5	4	3	1	9	6	8	2
2	9	8	5	4	6	7	3	1
6	1	3	8	2	7	5	4	9
5	3	6	7	9	4	1	2	8
4	7	2	1	5	8	3	9	6
1	8	9	6	3	2	4	5	7

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

CH FBB YFR EKO BWEH CWDX GHFDX, AK

HZHORDXWLU WL PHDCHHL AXKVBG PH EOHH.

TODAY'S CLUE: U EQUALS G

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: Principles have no real force except when one is well-fed.

MOVIE LOVERS

NOW SHOWING - SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

- **Sangam Theatre** — **Ph: 2520494**
  Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (E) - 4 Shows
- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** — **Mob: 99008-20093**
  O Manase (K) - 4 Shows
- **Gayathri Theatre** — **Ph: 2443568**
  O Manase (K) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** — **Ph: 2497199**
  1920: Horrors of the Heart (H) - 4 Shows
- **Woodlands Theatre** — **Ph: 2422871**
  Aparoopa (K) - 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** — **Ph: 2521923**
  Mahaveerudu (Te) - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** — **Ph: 2420885**
  Baby - 2023 (Te) - 4 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** — **Ph: 2423554**
  Maaveeran (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Prabha Theatre** — **Mob: 98454-14691**
  Mystery (K) - 4 Shows
- **Thibbadevi Theatre** — **Ph: 2452958**
  Ravanasura (Ta) - 4 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Satyaprem Ki Katha (H)	(S-1)	10.15 am
Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (E)	(S-1)	1.15 pm, 4.30 pm, 8 pm
	(S-3)	10.10 am
	(S-4)	12.30 pm, 3.40 pm
		6.55 pm, 10.10 pm
Insidious: The Red Door (E)	(S-2)	10.35 am
Maaveeran (Ta)	(S-2)	12.50 pm, 4 pm, 7.05 pm
Padmini (Ma)	(S-2)	10.15 pm
O Manase (K)	(S-3)	1.35 pm
Sri Prasanna Venkatadaasaru (K)	(S-3)	4.25 pm
Baby (Te)	(S-3)	6.55 pm, 10.15 pm
Aparoopa (K)	(S-4)	10.05 am

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Maaveeran (Ta)	: 10.30 am, 1.35 pm 6.00 pm, 9.05 pm
Mission Impossible (E)	: 10.30 am, 11.45 am, 2.50 pm 4.40 pm, 6 pm, 7.45 pm, 9.05 pm
Aparoopa (K)	: 1.45 pm
Mystery (K)	: 1.45 pm
Damayana (K)	: 4.30 pm
Mohankrishnas Gang Leader (Te)	: 7.00 pm

PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

Nexus Centre City Mall, 2nd Floor. Mob: 8951357139

Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (E)	: 8.30 am, 10.30 am, 11.15 am 12noon, 2pm, 3.30pm, 5.30pm 6.15 pm, 7 pm, 9 pm, 10.30 pm
Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (H)	: 2.45 pm, 9.45 pm
Baby (2023) (Te)	: 11.35 am, 6.10 pm
Aparoopa (K)	: 12.15 pm
Maaveeran (Ta)	: 12.15 pm, 3.40 pm 7.05 pm, 10.30 pm
Trailers Screening Show	: 2.55 pm
Spider-man: across spider-verse (E)	: 3.10 pm
O Manase (K)	: 3.40 pm
Satyaprem Ki Katha (H)	: 6.25 pm
Insidious: The Red Roor (E)	: 9.30 pm
Padmini (Ma)	: 9.45 pm

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Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (E)	: 10.45 am, 11.30 am, 2.15 pm 3 pm, 5.45 pm, 6.30 pm 9.15 pm, 10.00 pm
Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (Te)	: 2.30 pm
Maaveeran (Ta)	: 11.30 am, 2.55 pm 6.20 pm, 9.45 pm
Mystery (K)	: 11.55 am
Trailers Screening Show	: 6.55 pm
Damayana (K)	: 7.40 pm
Mahaveerudu (Te)	: 10.15 pm

EVENTS TODAY (JULY 14)

- **Sahaja Samrudha and Nexus Centre City:** Jackfruit Festival, Nexus Centre City, Nazarbad, **up to 10 pm.** [Mob: 98808-62058 or 98809-08608]
- **Srikrishna Trust Chaturmasya Samiti:** Pejawar Adhokshaja Mutt Seer Sri Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji's 36th Chaturmasya Vrata, Bhajans, Bhagavata discourse, Ramayana discourse and cultural programmes, Srikrishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **5 pm to 8 pm.** [Mob: 94482-71837]
- **Lions Club of Mysore Millennium:** Installation of Ln. A.C. Ravi as President and new team of office-bearers for the year 2023-24, Past Multiple Council Chairperson Ln Dr. Nagaraj V. Byri and former District Governor Ln. M.V. Deviprasad will be present, Vontikoppal Club, **6.30 pm.**
- **Natana School of Theatre Arts, Mysuru and Kannada and Culture Directorate, Bengaluru:** Natana Founder **Mandya Ramesh** birthday celebrations, staging of play 'Krishnegowdana Aane,' written by Poornachandra Tejaswi, directed by Mandya Ramesh, Stage adaptation by Shashikantha Yadahalli and design by Natana School Principal Megha Sameer, Natana premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**
- **Sringeri Sri Shankar Mutt Abhinava Shankaralaya:** Ashada Friday special puja, Sri Rajarajeshwari Alankara; Violin Concert by Vidu. Rupanagundi Rathna Teja and Vidu. Divyashree and Party, Shankar Mutt premises, Fort Mohalla, **7 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JULY 15)

- **Shri Kshethra Dharmasthala Rural Development Project (SKDRDP) B.C. Trust, Mysuru taluk, Tilak Nagar Zone:** Mass Sri Satyanarayanaswamy Puja, **7.30 am to 10.30 am;** Religious Stage Programme, **11 am to 1 pm;** Prasada distribution and Anna Santarpane, Male Mahadeshwara Temple auditorium, Paduvarahalli, **1 pm.**
- **MMK&SDM Mahila Maha Vidyalaya:** Annual Day celebrations, Prof. Bhuvaneshwari Hegde, renowned Kannada Writer, Orator and Humourist, retd. Professor of Economics, Mangalore University, chief guest, Prof. Nayanakumari, Principal, Girls PU College, guest of honour, Prof. Sainath Malligemadu, Principal, presides, Kalamandira, **9.30 am.**
- **Sahaja Samrudha and Nexus Centre City:** Jackfruit Festival, Nexus Centre City, Nazarbad, **10 am to 10 pm.**
- **Kalasuruchi:** Kathe Kelona Banni-784, story-telling by Alaka Kattemane, writer, Mysuru, Suruchi Rangamane, No. 476, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar, **4.30 pm to 5.30 pm.**
- **Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit:** Vachana Sahitya Conservation Day commemorating Dr. P.G. Halakatti Jayanti, Late Shankara Mariswamy Endowment (Endowment Donors - Kanthamani and M. Mariswamy), Kannada & Culture Assistant Director Dr. M.D. Sudarshan inaugurates, KIKS Professor Dr. S.D. Shashikala delivers lecture on 'Vachana Sahitya Conservation Day', Sharana Sahitya Parishat Mysuru President M.G. Sadanandaiah presides; Vachana Gayana by Rajarajeshwari Akkana Balaga-Niveditanagar, JSS Law College, Kuvempunagar, **5 pm.**
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- **Children's Literary Club, Mysuru:** Talk on 'Several Countries, One River and Several States, One River' by Club Director Dr. R. Purnima, Sri Satya Sai Baba Educational Institutions, Jayalakshmipuram, **5.30 pm.**
- **Mysore Bar Association:** Kempegowda Jayanti celebrations, Dr. Sri Nanjavadhoota Swamiji of Spatikapuri Mahasamsthana Mutt, Tumakuru, graces the occasion, retd. High Court Judge B. Srinivasa Gowda inaugurates, Mysore Bar Association President M. Mahadevaswamy presides, District Law Courts Complex, **5.30 pm.**
- **Raaga Music Academy:** Music for Wellness - 93rd music concert by Vidu. Krithika Sreenivasan, accompanied by Vidu. Pruthvi Bhaskar on violin, Vidu. Deepikaa Sreenivasan on mridanga and Vidu. Sumana Chandrashekhar on ghata, Sri Bidaram Krishnappanavara Prasanna Seetharama Mandira, Narayana Shastry Road, **6 pm.**
- **Ranjani Memorial Trust, Udupi:** 8th monthly concert of 'Ninaada Griha Sangeeth' series, Tabla Solo by Panchami Bidanur and vocal concert by Vidu. Sharada Bhat Kattige, Pt. Veerabhadrayya Hiremath (harmonium) and Pt. Bhima-shankar Bidanur (tabla) will be on the accompaniments, #37, 'Ninaada', Rishabh Siddhi Layout, Kergalli, **6 pm.**
- **Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Mysuru:** Swami Ishtanathanandaji speaks on 'Atmabodha,' Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**
- **Rotary District 3181:** Abhyudaya - 52nd Installation of Rotaract Club of Mysore 2023-24 led by Rtr. R. Prajwal and his team by President of Rotary Mysore Rtn. Arun Belawadi, Rotary Centre, JLB Road, **6 pm.**
- **HH Sri Srikantadatta Narasimharaja Wadiyar Foundation:** Commemorating 76 years of India's Independence and the 105th Birth Anniversary of Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar, screening of a documentary film titled 'The Saga of a Braveheart' (Duration 48 minutes), followed by an interaction with Maya Chandra, Founder and Director of Maya Films; Shakunthala Bhandarkar, wife of late Lt. Col. Ajit Bhandarkar, will be present, Jaganmohan Palace Auditorium, **6.30 pm.** [Mob: 99806-56631]
- **Kalasuruchi and Kutuhali:** Science Sanje, talk on 'Understanding Elephants' in English by Dr. T.N.C. Vidya, Associate Professor and Chair, Evolutionary and Integrative Biology Unit, Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research, Jakkur, Bengaluru, Suruchi Rangamane, Kuvempunagar, **6.30 pm to 7.30 pm.**
- **Natana School of Theatre Arts, Mysuru and Kannada and Culture Directorate, Bengaluru:** Staging of play 'Krishnegowdana Aane,' written by Poornachandra Tejaswi, directed by Mandya Ramesh, Stage adaptation by Shashikantha Yadahalli and design by Natana School Principal Megha Sameer, Natana premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**
- **Theatre Nisha:** Staging of English play 'Margazhi,' Mini Theatre, Kalamandira premises, **6.30 pm.**

INOX LIVE the MOVIE

Mall of Mysore - Mob. : 7829999465

Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (E)	(S-1)	12 noon, 3.30 pm
		7.00 pm, 10.30 pm
	(S-2)	10.45 am, 2.30 pm, 6 pm
Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (H)	(S-2)	9.30 pm
Maaveeran (Ta)	(S-3)	11.30 am, 2.55 pm
		6.20 pm, 9.45 pm
Aparoopa (K)	(S-4)	11.50 am
Baby (Te)	(S-4)	2.30 pm, 6.45 pm
Padmini (Ma)	(S-4)	10.20 pm
Trailer Screening Show	(S-4)	6.05 pm

INOX Centro Mysore - Mob. : 9606976757

Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (E)	(S-2)	11.30 am, 3.00 pm
(English Atmos)		6.30 pm, 10.10 pm
Mission Impossible: Dead Reckoning (E)	(S-3)	10.30 am, 2.00 pm
		5.30 pm, 9.00 pm
Maaveeran (Ta)	(S-1)	3.40 pm, 7.05 pm, 10.30 pm
	(S-4)	10.45 am
Damayana (K)	(S-4)	2.10 pm
Baby (Te)	(S-1)	11.30 pm
	(S-4)	10.10 pm
O Manase (K)	(S-4)	9.30 pm
Aparoopa (K)	(S-4)	9.30 pm
Trailers Screening Show	(S-1)	3.00 pm

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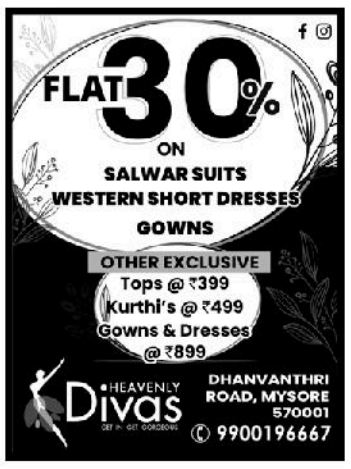

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